# NOTTINGHAM TRENT UNIVERSITY











# Guided tour of Clifton campus

# Welcome to Nottingham Trent University

Welcome! We're one of the largest universities in the UK, attracting students from around the world. Our total student population is more than 26,000 and we remain one of the most popular universities in the country in terms of applications received.

We believe our national and international reputation is built upon the excellence of our teaching methods, research, collaborative activities and consultancy.

Statistics show that 93% of our graduates\* are employed or engaged in further study six months after graduating. A strong record in ensuring student employability, flourishing links with industry and the fact that over half of our courses feature work placements for up to a year mean that we have made our mark as an entrepreneurial university.



\* Latest DLHE Survey undergraduate results 2011-12

# **About Nottingham**

Nottingham is a brilliant, student-friendly place to live. It's one of the top shopping destinations in the UK, it's big on culture, sports, live music, and great nights out. With one in ten of Nottingham's population being students, the city is geared towards providing for your needs. Whether you enjoy eating out, sport, cinema, art galleries, clubbing, museums, pubs, comedy clubs or theatres, Nottingham will have something for you.



Nottingham is renowned as a thriving cultural centre and boasts the Capital FM Arena, Theatre Royal, Royal Concert Hall and Nottingham Playhouse. The popular Broadway Cinema in the Hockley area of Nottingham shows independent and world cinema. Opposite Broadway, you can find the Screen 22 Cinema, which is the smallest digital recognised single screen cinema in the world.

### A historic city

Nottingham is steeped in history and has an array of galleries and museums. Nottingham Castle, famous from the tales of Robin Hood, is now the city's main art gallery and museum. The Nottingham Contemporary houses a series of popular art exhibitions. Nottingham's museums include the award-winning Galleries of Justice, Green's Mill and Wollaton Hall.

### A great night out

In June 2013, the city was awarded a Purple Flag – the national indicator of where to go for a good night out. Whether you enjoy gigs, comedy nights, classical concerts, pubs or clubbing, you'll be spoilt for choice in Nottingham. You'll also find that many entertainment venues offer reduced prices for students with their NUS card.

#### A sporting city

Nottingham has more sporting facilities per head than any other European city! Nottingham is home to the National Ice Centre, the National Water Sports Centre, Trent Bridge Cricket Ground, Nottingham Tennis Centre and two league football grounds (Nottingham Forest and Notts County).

#### Oulinary delights

The city offers cuisine from around the globe, so whatever you enjoy, you will always be able to find somewhere that meets your needs. It is also home to many pubs and bars, including Ye Olde Trip to Jerusalem which claims to be England's oldest pub.

### → Shopping heaven

The city's consistently ranked as one of the UK's top shopping destinations. All the major high street names sit happily alongside designer boutiques (Vivienne Westwood and Paul Smith to name but two) and vintage treasure warehouses.

# Travelling to Nottingham Trent University's Clifton campus



#### By car

Nottingham is at the heart of the country and is well served by the motorway network. The M1 passes close to the west of the city, the A42 / M42 link to the south-west of the city and the A1(M) to the east of the city. The Clifton campus is located on the A453 Clifton Lane. When using the M1 for Clifton campus, exit at Junction 24 and follow the A453 for approximately five miles. From the city centre, follow signs out to the A453 (signposted to Birmingham).



#### (P) Car parking

At the Clifton campus, limited parking is available on site. Enter the campus through the main gate. Contact security at the car park barrier using the intercom and you will be directed to the student car park.



#### By bus

During term-time, the NTU Go2Uni 4 "bendy bus" runs between the City site and Clifton campus. This service runs from the city centre on Burton Street, near to the Newton building, and passes close to the Broadmarsh Bus Station and railway station and on to Clifton, returning by a similar route. Out of term-time, use the Nottingham City Transport (NCT) service number 1, which picks up at the Old Market Square, Broadmarsh Bus Station and railway station and drops off at the gates of Clifton campus.

NCT Tel: +44 (0)115 950 6070

Visit www.nctx.co.uk for more information.



#### By coach

National Express coach services operate from the Broadmarsh Bus Station in Nottingham city centre, and the buses referred to above can be used to reach the Clifton campus.

Tel: **08717 818178** (National Express)

Visit www.nationalexpress.com for more information.



### By rail

Nottingham Station is located in Nottingham city centre and is a short bus ride from the Clifton campus. Use the buses detailed above to reach the Clifton campus.

Tel: 08457 484950 (National Rail Enquiries) Visit www.nationalrail.co.uk for more information.



#### (X) By air

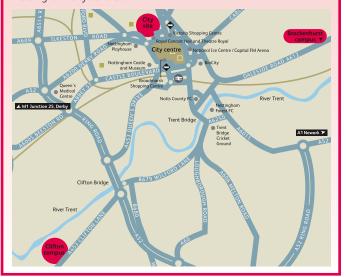
East Midlands Airport is about 12 miles from the centre of Nottingham, close to Junction 24 of the M1 motorway. The Skylink bus service operates a link from the city centre to the airport every half hour, and includes a stop close to the Clifton campus.

Tel: 0871 919 9000

Visit www.eastmidlandsairport.com or www.skylink.co.uk for more information

## Locations of campuses

Nottingham Trent University has three campuses: the City site, situated in the very centre of Nottingham; the Clifton campus, approximately four miles south of Nottingham; and Brackenhurst campus, near Southwell. Your choice of subject will determine which campus you are based at. This quide will help you find your way around our City site, as well as suggesting some areas of interest in Nottinaham city centre.



#### **Locations of Schools**

Nottingham Business School	City
Nottingham Law School	City
School of Architecture, Design and the Built Environmen	t City
School of Art & Design	City
School of Social Sciences	City
School of Arts and Humanities*	Clifton
School of Education**	Clifton
School of Science and Technology	Clifton
School of Animal, Rural and Environmental Sciences	Brackenhurst

Burton Street, Nottingham, NG1 4BU Tel: (0115) 941 8418

#### Clifton campus

Clifton Lane, Nottingham, NG11 8NS Tel: (0115) 941 8418

#### Brackenhurst campus

Brackenhurst, Southwell, Nottinghamshire, NG25 0QF Tel: (01636) 817000

\* Please note that the School's Centre for Broadcasting & Journalism is based at the City site. \* Please note that teacher training for Design and Technology, and Engineering is based at

# **Development at Nottingham Trent** University

The University is currently undergoing some refurbishment, and a few of our buildings have work taking place in them. This is part of the University's ongoing commitment to maintaining and improving our facilities for students, future students and the community. If you have any gueries about visiting areas of the University, please contact us on +44 (0)115 848 2820.

#### **Disability Support Services**

We welcome all visitors and encourage students with disabilities to visit the University prior to making their choice of place to study. If you require advice about support or adjustments please contact our Disability Support Services team on:

Tel (voice): +44 (0)115 848 2085 Email: disabilitv.admissions@ntu.ac.uk

#### **Visitor information**

Nottingham Tourism Centre is in the heart of the city centre at Smithy Row. If you need any more information about the city drop in for a visit

Tel: +44 (0)8444 77 5678

Visit: www.experiencenottinghamshire.com

#### Visit us, wherever you are

If you can't make it in person, why not visit our Virtual Open Day? Here you can get lots of information on what life as a student at NTU is like. Start your day at: www.ntu.ac.uk/virtualtour



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# Welcome to **Nottingham Trent University**

This auide will help you find your way ground the Clifton campus, home to the School of Arts and Humanities: School of Education; and School of Science and Technology. It is a walking tour of the campus; just follow the red route around the University. Where the line is dotted on the map, it is hidden behind buildings; carry on walking along the path to continue the route. The described tour starts at the Erasmus Darwin building, near the campus's South Gate. The numbered dots relate to the text around the map and describe the main buildings of the University. While walking around the campus, why not drop into one of the coffee bars for a break and maybe chat to some current students?

If you have any questions about your course you may wish to pop into the relevant School office, or the main reception (R), which is located in the foyer of the George Eliot building. Our Clifton campus is very typical of a greenfield site in that all the teaching greas, support services, accommodation, Students' Union and other amenities are together in one place. It is currently undergoing a significant regeneration programme. You'll find information on the project in the main reception, or visit: www.ntu.ac.uk/clifton

#### For information on NTU open days, go to: www.ntu.ac.uk/opendays

Health and safety: fire evacuation: In the unlikely event of a fire, on hearing the alarm please leave the building and assemble outside with staff and students.

# 1 Erasmus Darwin building

This can be identified by the Mammoth sculpture outside the main entrance. Science courses are taught in this building. At the rear of the building, through the courtvard, is the Interdisciplinary Biomedical Research Centre. The John van Geest Cancer Research Centre is based at the rear of the building.



# (2) Rosalind Franklin building (Superlab)

Renowned scientist and television presenter Professor Robert Winston officially opened our new multimillion pound science facility in October 2012. The brand new 'Superlab' provides extensive new teaching and research facilities for the School of Science and Technology





# 3 CELS / NSRC building

Our Natural Sciences Research Facility supports and enhances the School of Science and Technology's research in physics, biosciences, chemistry, imaging, materials and sport.

The facility houses laboratories to support these specialist disciplines, together with office space dedicated to research workers and research students.

# 4) John Clare building

This building contains lecture theatres for Clifton students.

# Ada Byron King building

This building houses Primary Education courses, and contains modern, well-equipped teaching resources. It is also home to the School of Education office.

# 6 Mary Ann Evans building

Our Mary Ann Evans building is the home of Arts and Humanities students. It also houses the Arts and Humanities School office, and is where their courses are taught (with the exception of Broadcast and Print Journalism which are taught in the Chaucer building on the City site)



# 7 George Eliot building

This building houses the library, 24-hour computer resource rooms and the main student restaurant for Clifton – Dine Eliot as well as Café Eliot. You'll see this building is currently undergoing refurbishment and once complete, the new Pavilion will replace parts of the George Eliot building. It will be the central building for students at Clifton campus, featuring a tall glazed façade with a covered raised terrace and offering flexible and contemporary teaching spaces. There will also be a new teaching suite adjourned by a walkway. Staff on the main reception will be happy to answer any questions.

# (8) DH Lawrence building

This forms part of Clifton's student village, along with the Benenson building, and houses the campus shop (with a cash machine inside). Here you will also find Union Central, our main Students' Union reception area. Union Central is where to go to access the Student Advice Centre, the JobShop, RAG fundraising, societies, and other SU activities.

# Cricket pitch Peverell - Hall Cricket Anthony Р enson

Our sports centre was extended in 2010 to provide students with a

courts. Information on sports clubs and fixtures can be found here.

fantastic venue for a variety of sporting and fitness activities. Facilities include a gym, sports hall, dance studio and squash

# (14) Peverell – Hall of Residence

15) Lee Westwood Sports Centre

Peverell halls of residence, houses 720 single study bedrooms. Unfortunately on unaccompanied tours it is not possible to see a room. For further information on University accommodation please pick up a booklet from the main reception (R), or visit: www.ntu.ac.uk/accommodation

# (13) Anthony Nolan building

Our groundbreaking research facility offers a lifeline to thousands of patients with life threatening illnesses. The facility has been funded by a £1.4m donation from the East Midlands Development Agency and leads a campaign by Anthony Nolan to bank 50,000 cord blood samples suitable for transplantation and

# Playing field All-weather Main sports pitch Gate Tennis courts Sports Centre Football pitch John van Geest Cancer Research Centre Pedestrian and cyclist access on College Drive Houses Key to the map Main reception Bus stops Go2 Uni bus stop No entry Observatory

# (12) Lionel Robbins building

This is part of the School of Education. Courses in Childhood Studies, Psychology and Educational Development, Business, Leisure and Sports Education are taught here. (Secondary Design and Technology is taught in the Maudslay building on the City site.)



# 11) The Student Services Centre

This is home to the Employability Team, Student Support Services, Credit Control, Finance and the Sunrise Medical Centre You are welcome to browse the range of informational literature about the University's support provision for students. including financial support and advice; counselling; transition support and advice for mature students and care leavers; support services for dyslexia and other specific learning difficulties, support for students with mental health difficulties; support for disabled students. The Place... for Spirituality and Well-being, is also based here.

# 10) New Hall – Hall of Residence

This new purpose-built residence houses 576 en suite bedrooms in flats and 151 studio-style rooms. Unfortunately, on unaccompanied tours it is not possible to see a room. For further information on University accommodation please pick up a booklet from main reception (R), or visit: www.ntu.ac.uk/accommodation



# 9 The Benenson building (The Point)

We've recently revamped The Point, our social space for students and doubled it in capacity. It houses two bars, a coffee shop, a diner, a games room, and a nightclub with two dance floors. Many events are held in The Point, including Clifton's main student night every Friday, as well as poster sales, quiz nights, sports club socials, and daytime student activities

